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WEATHER REPORT
Fair tonight, followed by increasing cloudiness Sunday; moderate temperature.
High tide 4:37 a. m. and 5:07 p. m.
Sun rises 4:54; Sun sets 7:18.

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UNITED STATES STANDS FIRMLY

Will Regard as "Deliberately Unfriendly" Any Further Acts

WARNS EVERY NATION;

Will Uphold its Contentions "From Whatever Quarter" They May be Violated in the Future.

Washington, July 24—The text of the American note on submarine warfare presented at Berlin yesterday by Ambassador Gerard, was made public here last night. It reveals that the imperial government has been informed it is the intention of the United States to regard as "deliberately unfriendly" any repetition by the commanders of German naval vessels of acts in contravention of American rights.

The United States announces that it will continue to contend for the freedom of the seas, "from whatever quarter violated, without compromise and at any cost."

In official and diplomatic quarters the communication was viewed as the strongest and most emphatic pronouncement that has come from the Washington government since the beginning of its correspondence with the belligerents of Europe. President Wilson returned to Cornish, N. H., last night to await developments.

On the assumption that Germany has already admitted the illegality of her practices by attempting to justify them as retaliatory moves against Great Britain, the United States in the new note expresses the belief that Germany will no longer "refrain from disavowing the wanton act of its naval commander in sinking the Lusitania or from offering reparation for the American lives lost, so far as reparation can be made for a needless destruction of human life by an illegal act."

Referring to the German government's expression of hope in its last note that the freedom of the seas may be established in some measure before the end of the present war, the United States declares that this object can be accomplished and invites the practical cooperation of the imperial government.

The American government adds, moreover, that it "holds itself ready at any time to act as the common friend who may be privileged to suggest a way" to assist in establishing the freedom of the seas.

The note says that events of the two months clearly indicate that it is "possible and practicable" to conduct submarine operations "in substantial accord with the accepted practices of regulated warfare." The comment is added that the "whole world has looked with interest and increasing satisfaction at the demonstration of this fact by German naval commanders," and that it is "manifestly possible to lift the whole practice of submarine attack above the criticism which it has aroused and remove the chief causes of offense."

President Wilson has called for reports on the subject of national defense. These will be made to him personally by the heads of the War and Navy departments. The fact that this action had been taken became known here last night after the release for publication of the note to Germany relating to submarine warfare.

Fourth Annual Moonlight Excursion of the Phi Mu Sigma Fraternity
Alpha Chaper of the M. E. Church South

MONDAY, JULY 26, 1915.

Steamer St Johns leaves Cameron Street wharf 7:30 p. m.
Tickets 25c

Special for Friday and Saturday. The season's newest styles pumps and oxfords, were $3.50 and $4.00 for $1.95. Marshall's 422 King Street.

CARDINAL SAYS U. S. MUST ACT.

Neither Villa Nor Carranza is Capable of Saving Country, Declares Prelate.

Westminster, Md., July 24—Cardinal Gibbons, who spent the eighty-first aniversary of his birth at the home of former Senator T. Herbert Shriver, near Westminster, in an interview, showed deep concern in the great world problems. His first subject was the Mexican question, which he said would not down. Speaking of the practically unchanged conditions so far as our nation is concerned, he said: "One year ago today we talked of the then condition in Mexico. I then expressed to Senator Lee my opinion that neither Carranza nor Villa were capable of feeling the influence of lofty motives of patriotism and that they would not heed the President's message. The end has justified my opinion. I am convinced that neither expostulation, entreaty nor advice will ever have any effect on those who are now assuming the leadership in Mexico. I fear that the sword is the only argument that can have any weight, and believe that sooner or later some form of intervention must be pursued by our country.

In speaking of the war in Europe the Cardinal referred to the differences of opinion as to the source of responsibility for its beginnings. By many its inception is credited to the vaultng ambition of the German Empire, while those who sympathize with Germany reply that the commerce of Germany was being threatened and restraint put upon her legimate hope of expansion commercially. In this connection he said:

"One year ago Europe was at peace; there was no horror of war, no shattered cities, ruined cathedrals, devastated fields and forests, weeping women or breaking hearts. I had just returned from Europe. Only a month previous, in June, I had seen and talked with King Albert of Belgium and his Queen, and they were happy in the devotion of a people who loved them. Their nation numbered only 7,000,000 people, but they were industrious, frugal, happy and contented—everywhere were beautiful cities, smiling villages and fertile fields. Little did the King and Queen or the world dream what a change would come in a few months. Had Belgium acquiesced to the demand of Germany and permitted free passage of her armies they would have marched straight to Calais and dictated terms to the world. If the allies should prove victorious Belgium should be recompensed fourfold for what she has sacrificed. Our prayer goes up each day, and in all our churches that God may bring to a speedy end this dreadful war."

Asked his opinion of the need of a strong standing army in the United States, he replied with unusual force:

"We do not want it; we do not need it. Let the energies of our people be directed to peaceful pursuits; let their lives be given to commercial development and educational uplift; do not divert a great mass of men into professional soldiery. Let each State have its thoroughly equipped and well trained militia under the supervision of the National Government and we will have an army, if emergency should arise. A well-trained militia and our coast properly and fully fortified and garrisoned is what we need."

GERMAN RUSE IS FAILURE

British Silence Voices from Enemy With Rifle Volleys

London, July 24—A German ruse that failed to work is recounted in an official "eye-witness" narrative, dated July 18, and issued by the government press bureau yesterday.

"At one point on the British line our men heard calls for help in excellent English coming from a point 150 yards in front of our advanced trench," says the account "We replied to the calls with rifle fire and they immediately ceased while those who had been making them shouted: "You damned Scotchman."

FIRST ANNUAL EXCURSION of Alexandria Light Infantry, Company G, First Regiment to MARSHALL HALL AUGUST 2, 1915

$5.00 in gold will be presented to the lady who sells the most tickets. Ladies desiring same can apply at armory any night after 8 o'clock.

CONDITIONS SHOW NO IMPROVEMENT

Sheriff Raids Strikers' Asenal at Bayonne This Morning

PRIESTS STOP RIOTS

Food Situation Serious Among Men Who Quit Work—Storekeepers Refuse to Furnish on Credit.

Bayonne, N. J., July 24.—The situation in the Standard Oil strike is tense to the point of breaking.

Sheriff Eugene F. Kinkead, wearied by a hard night's work, admits it is much like a powder barrel with a sputtering fuse.

"I'm at the limit of my resources unless Governor Fielder sends troops," he said.

The strikers were aroused almost to the breaking point by the raid on their arsenal early today, in which the sheriff's men captured more than fifty new Springfield rifles and a quantity of ammuniiton. They bitterly protest that the guards are allowed to keep their rifles and do sniping.

Added to the seriousness of the outlook is the food situation. Most of the strikers earned from 98 cents to $225 a day for fourteen hours' work before they went out. They have no surplus to fall back on. The shopkeepers have been protesting that they must have money for supplies.

New York, July 24—A fresh outbreak late yesterday disturbed the comparative quiet which prevailed in the Constable Hook section of Bayonne, N. J., after the cessation of the rioting of the previous three days when 3 men were killed and a score injured. It occurred when Sheriff Eugene F. Kinkead led 50 deputies through the streets and was attacked by a crowd of more than 1,000 strikers and sympathizers, necessitating a call for the police reserves.

Although the Sheriff made an appeal to the crowd to disperse, they answered with showers of clubs and stones, and were only quieted after priests and strike leaders appeared and counseled them to go to their homes. Many shots were fired, but the only known injuries consited of sore heads and bruised limbs.

While the rioting was in progress the two mediators from the Federal Department of Labor conferred with officials of the Standard Oil Company in an effort to bring about a settlement of the strike at the oil plant of the Standard which caused a shut down of the Tidewater Company's establishment. The mediators announced they had no statement to make.

Governor Fielder was told late yesterday by sheriff Kinkead that it would not be necessary to call the State militia if he secured 100 uniformed policemen from nearby towns to assist in preserving order.

"If we don't get these extra police," the Sheriff told the Governor, "we ought to have the militia. Every man who throws a stone or draws a gun should be arrested."

The only flurry besides the rioting occurred earlier in the day, when the strikers made a demand on Sheriff Kinkead for their wages, it being the regular payday at the plants. When told they would not be paid until Monday the strikers became incensed and for a time made threats. The authorities thought it wise to defer paying the men unless they were in dire distress, until Monday.

Second Annual Excursion THE HOLY NAME BAND To Colonial Beach WEDNESDAY, JULY 28th.

Adult's Tickets 50c
Children's Tickets 25c
Str. St. Johns leaves Cameron St. wharf at 9:30 a m

All Hess $6.00 Oxfords are $4.85 all Hess $5.00 Oxfords $3.85 Marshall's, 422 King Street.

$2,500 to loan on Alexandria City real estate. Howard W. Smith, 107 North Fairfax street. 12-tf.

AN UNLIKELY STORY

German Official Says British Admiralty Destroyed the Lusitania

Rotterdam, July 24—In the Vossische Zeitung Oswald Flamm, privy councilor and professor of naval construction, makes the astounding assertions that Capt. Turner and the British admiralty not only deliberately exposed the Lusitania to a submarine attack, but accelerated the sinking of the ship by artificial means in order to drown Americans and secure an American outburst against Germany.

Coming at the same time as the attack on the Orduna, the article is additionally astonishing. Prof. Flamm says:

"To insure the success of the attack the ship left New York at scheduled time took the customary route and arrived in English waters at scheduled time, entered the danger zone in broad daylight and at reduced speed.

"Despite wireless appeals, the admiralty sent no assistance to the ship which was torpedoed according to plans and sank with a large number of Americans. It was then up to America to take the next step.

"The second explosion granting that there was no ammunition on board could only be the result of an artificial cause with intentional design to sink the ship at any cost a design executed by some one bribed on board.

"The fact that lifeboats were hung out in readiness preserved the appearance of careful management. As the investigation was behind closed doors the general public must remain ignorant of the real facts till later developments."

TROUBLE IN PHILIPPINES

New Insurrection Threatened in Luzon Section

Manila, July 24—The Tagalogs of Luzon threaten a new insurrection.

Carriaga, lieutenant of Artemio Ricarte, and one of the leaders in the Christmas Eve revolt has been spurring it on. For six months the authorities have sought him in vain. He has returned to Luzon, and in trips through Laguna and Batangas has been stirring up disaffection.

One more the banner Katipunan the insular Ku-Klux-Klan, may be flaunted over Luzon. Once more the Dimasalang, the secret society of the Tagalogs, is seething with acitivity.

Since the rigid measures taken at the time of the Christmas eve uprising the leaders of disaffection on the island have been inactive. But now another revolt is breaking.

Vigorous measures are being taken to forestall the impending insurrection. Carriaga plans the capture of Fort McKinley.

With the citadel in the hands of the insurrectos, he pictured complete Filipino domination of Luzon. The guards at the fort have been doubled and the authorities are taking the greatest precautions.

ITALY MAY ATTACK TURKEY

Minister Gives Foreign Secretary Discretionary Powers

Rome, July 24.—The question of peace or war between Italy and Turkey now rests in the hands of Baron Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister.

Following a cabinet council that lasted nearly four hours, the ministry gave the foreign minister full powers to take any steps necessary to secure satisfaction from Turkey for the illegal use of the Italian flag.

Italy and Turkey are nearer a diplomatis break than at any time since the war began as a result of the seizure of an Italian steamer, misuse of the Italian flag and failure of the Ottoman government to answer the protest of the Italian Ambassador at Constantinople.

Killed in Auto Accident

Memphis, Tenn., July 24.—Francis L. Bray, twenty one years old and L. Bray, twenty one years old, and were killed instantly when an automobile in which they were riding late last night plunged over a high embankment in Riverside Park, near here. The bodies were not discovered until yesterday. Bray's neck was broken when he was pinned beneath the car, and Miss Daly was thrown from the car against a tree.

EXCURSION BOAT TURNS TURTLE

Estimated that About Three Hundred Persons Have Drowned

AN 'AIR CHUTE' BROKE

Terrible Scenes When Two Thousand Men, Women and Children are Thrown Into the Water.

Chicago, July 24—With more than 2,000 passengers aboard, the excursion steamer East Land turned turtle as she was leaving the pier at the Clark street bridge this morning. At the first listing of the vessel, hundreds were thrown into the water. The vessel slowly turned over on its side and sank.

It is feared that a least 300 persons have been drowned or crushed to death.

Deputy Coroner Forsberg at 10:30 o'clock sair that men working directly under him have taken out seventy bodies, at least half of them women and children.

Captain Pedersen, of the East Land, who was on the bridge when the boat keeled over, said an "air chute" broke, letting in tons of water on the left side of the vessel, which is now lying on her side in the middle of the river.

Captain Pedersen said the boat's capacity is 7,070, and that there were 2000 on board.

Among the passengers who put the death list at a high figure was Theodore Soderstorm, who was pulled out unconscious. He declared he held his wife up for what seemed hours and then she was torn from his grasp by two women who struggled to hold themselves up on his shoulders. She was drowned.

Soderstorm said he did not believe it was a broken air chute as the captain declared, that caused the big boat to tip over.

"The passengers were crowded on the outer rail from ten to thirty deep in places. I noticed the boat beginning to careen slightly, but at first it gave me no uneasiness. Then, just before we pulled out several hundred passengers who had been waving to persons on the dock came over to the outer rail. Almost instantly the boat lurched drunkenly, righted itself and then pitched once more.

"By this time passengers knew there was something wrong. It all happened so quickly. For a third time the boat lurched, this time slowly and there were screams as everyone tried at once to get to the side next the dock.

"Many were beaten down to the deck unconscious in this mad rush. Probably a dozen persons— it may have been more—jumped into the water. Several were women. They were crushed under by the side of the boat before they had a chance to swim away, for after the boat got part way over it seemed to drop on its side like a stone."

ARMENIANS MASSACRED.

More than Ten Thousand Reported to Have Been Shot.

Petrograd, July 24—More than 10,000 Armenians have been massacred by the Turks in the worst slaughter of Christians ever recorded according to advices received by the Novoe Vreymia. The secen of the massacre was at Bitlis and in the surrounding district west of Lake Van, Turkish Armenia.

After looting and burning homes of Christians at Bitlis and torturing or killing many of the residents of that city, the Turks gathered 9,000 men, women, and children from the nearby villages and drove them more than thirty miles to the banks of the Tigris, where all were shot. Their bodies were then thrown into the river.

Another thousand who had escaped the first slaughter were later dragged from their places of refuge and also put to death.

WILL EXAMINE VOUCHERS.

Giles B. Jackson Invites Public to Make Fullest Scrutiny of His Accounts.

Richmond, July 24—Directors of the Negro Historical and Industrial Association now holding an exposition at the Virginia State Fair Grounds, buried the hatchet yesterday, after a day of wrangling and charges. To show to the world that the pipe of peace had been smoked the board made a public inspection tour of the exposition, the three insurgent members who had criticised the methods of expenditure of funds of the exposition, accompanying Giles B. Jackson, president.

At a meeting of the board yesterday Jackson requested the appointment of a committee to examine all books and papers of the association. Jackson explained that in the matter of the appropriation by Congress of $55,000, he was amenable only to the Governor of Virginia, who was designated in the appropriation as having supervisory powres. However, he invited the fullest inquiry by his associates, and the following were named on the committee: John H. Braxton, chairman; William Miller and Theodore N. Jones. Miller is treasurer of the exposition and was one of the three directors who criticised some of the actions of the president and who sought to secure the voucher book, possession of which was demanded by Alexander Forward, secretary to Governor Stuart.

The committee was authorized to call a meeting of the board of directors on completion of its examination of the books and vouchers of the president.

"Then we all went out to the ground in a body and everybody was happy," said Giles last night. "We want to show the white people that the negro is capable of running such an exposition as we have opened, and to maintain the good name of our race."

Congressman A. J. Montague was one of the visitors at the exposition yesterday, spending some time in viewing the exhibits which show the progress made by the negro since emancipation. He expressed himself as being much pleased with the showing made.

Monday will be known as "Education Day," and former Governor William Hodges Mann has accepted an invitation to make an address. Several others will speak, and it is planned to make the day one of the biggest in the history of the exposition.

GERMANY GIVES WAR ORDERS.

Contracts for 2,000,000 Rifles to be Delieverd Through Denmark.

Pittsburgh, July 24.—The German Government has contracted for the manufacture of 2,000,000 rifles in this country, and steel for these arms will be made by the Crucible Stel Company and the Carbon Steel Company, of this city. The prices fixed for each rifle is $30, which is $2.50 above the contract price secured by the Westinghouse Electric Company in its rifle orders for Russian and French delivery.

Where the 2,000,000 rifles for the German Government are to be manufactured has not yet been announced.

Up to the present, direct German buying of war munitions has not been reported in Pittsburgh, but the agents seeking bids on the present business say delivery will be assured. The rifles presumably are to be shipped to Denmark and thence into the Kaiser's land.

"CLARE" TO BE REBUILT.

The big hydroaeroplane "Clare" which was built by A. S. Richardson, of Lowell, Mass, and which was wrecked in the storm of last Monday afternoon, will be towed to Washington this afternoon where it will be rebuilt at the plant of the Washington Aeroplane Company on Water street. A number of changes will be made in the design of the machine.

CHARTER ISSUED.

A charter were issued by the State Corporation Commission yesterday to the City Point Ice Corporation, Alexandria. Capital stock: maximum, $50,000; minimum, $15,000; par value, $10; manufacture and sell ice. R. W. Herfurth, president; S. M. Herfurth, secretary, both of Alexandria.

RUSSIANS DEFEND POLISH CAPITAL

Belief That German Drive on Warsaw Has Been Checked

MAY BE TEMPORARY

Official Berlin Dispatches Seemed to be Confused—Contain Nothing to Show Assaults.

London, July 24—The Germans are advancing upon the bridge head poaitions of the Narew close to Warsaw, according to the Berlin official report but the statement is so vague that military experts are inclined to believe that the great Teuton advance has been temporarily checked at least.

Certainly General von Mackensen, who was to cut the Moscow railroad to isolate Warsaw south on the Lubin, Cholm and Ivangorod line, has not yet succeeded in his task. It is surmised now that the German statement that the last named fortress had been isolated was premature. It is more than likely that a bridge head Russian forces had retired to the Ivangorod defenses, which are very strong.

There is a distinct check to the Austro-German advance between the Bug and the Vistula and also around Sokal. It is thought that one of the great battles for the possession of the capital will be fought between the Bug and the Vistula and the Russians are now said to be occupying the positions from which they repulsed the Austrian advance last August.

The situation to the north appears confused even from the Berlin official statement. That mention of the capture of some villages pertaining the fortifications of Rozan and the advance upon the Narew bridge heads, but it does not state from which direction. These bridges heads have as their protection the graet fortresses of Pultusk and Novo Georgievsk, and there is no word that assaults are being made on those strongholds.

RACE HATE CAUSES KILLING.

Negro Slain in Quarrel Near Scene of White Girl's Assault.

Seaford, Del., July 24.—Only a miles from the place where Wish Shepard, a negro, assaulted a 15 year old white girl, last week, a negro was murdered yesterday afternoon. Race hatred has been running high since the assault, and, after a short argument, Rismore Henry, a white laborer on the farm of J. R. Twiley, struck Linwood Dashields, a negro, 18 years old of Tyaskin, Md., a blow on the skull with a heavy iron hoe and killed him.

The trouble is said to have started when Henry, seeing the negro idle, told him to go to work. After a few heated words Dashields, it is said, cursed Henry and grabbed an iron spade, attempting to strike the white man, when Henry delivered the fatal blow. No effort has been made to arrest the alleged murderer.

Thomas Williams, aged 7 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Williams, of King George county, was killed a few days ago by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of his 8 year old brother. The boys were playing with an old gun in the yard at the home when the older boy, Clemmy, went into the house and got his father's gun which was loaded. Going through the door his foot tripped and he fell, discharging the gun. The entire load struck his brother in the right breast. The older boy had a leg amputated at the hospital in Fredericksburg a short time ago, and walked on a wooden leg. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have lost three children within a year.

A big table full of misses and childrens low shoes, $1.50 and 42 00 values for 49 and 69 cents C. B. Marshall, 422 King Street.

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This Sale Offers an Opportunity to buy the Seasons Most Desirable Merchandise at and Below Cost.

15c Dress Gingham, 32 inches wide, reduced to 11c
35c Tan Dress Poplin, 36 inches wide, reduced to 19c
25c Fancy Rice Cloth, reduced to 12 1-2c
25c White Crepe Ratine reduced to 15c
50c White Crepe Ratine, reduced to 29c
15c Dress Poplin, 27 inches wide, reduced to 10c
25c Fancy Tub Silks reduced to 15c
75c Allover Shadow Lace, reduced to 50c
35c White Pique, 36 inches wide, reduced to 25c
$5.00 to $6.50 Ladies' White Voile Dresses, slightly soiled, reduced to $1.98
$1.00 Boys' Oliver Twist Suits, all sizes, reduced to 59c
$2.50 Ladies' Bathing Suits, reduced to $1.25
Six Nemo Corsets, sizes 20 to 28, $3.00 value, reduced to $1.98
$6.50 & $7.50 Ladies' Palm Beach Suits, reduced to $3.98
$5.98 Fibre Rugs, 6x9, reduced to 1.98

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All fans complete with cords and plugs, ready to attach to any lamp socket.

Better come early. There are not many left.

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FALLS BETWEEN CARS

Southern Railway Brakeman Seriously Injured Near Monroe Thursday.

Thomas Welch, of Alexandria, freight brakeman on the Southern Railway, was dangerously injured Thursday near Monroe when he fell between two box cars while the train was in motion. He was taken to St. Andrew's Hospital, Lynchburg, in the afternoon and an examination showed that the man was suffering from a broken hip, broken left arm, badly sprained wrist and a small cut over the left eyebrow. Thursday night he was reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

The motion of the train was slow at the time of the accident, which probably accounted for him not being ftally injured. Unless complications develop he is expected to recover.

KNIGHTS OF KADOSH.

LaFayette Council Elects Officers at Meeting Last Night.

The following officers were elected last night at the meeting of LaFayette Council , No. 2, Knights of Kadosh, Scottish Rite Masons:

H. Noel Garner, commander.
W. S. Connelly, first lieutenant.
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J. William May, chancellor.
T. C. Smith, orator.
Robert S. Barrett, almoner.
Frank W. Latham, recorder.
James M. Duncan, treasurer.
William Lewis Allen, master of ceremonies.
H. S. Brown, turcopiler.
R. H. Cox, draper.
N. S. Geenaway, first deacon.
W. W. Ballenger, second deacon.
E. Fuller, bearer causeant.
A. M. Sherwood, bearer white standard.
James W. Bales, bearer black standard.
H. W. Wildt, lieutenant guard.
H. G. Harryman, organist.
George W. Zachary, sentinel.

These officers were installed by James E. Alexander, past commander.

LATE CAPTAIN R. M. LATHAM.

Funeral From St. Mary's Church This Morning—Many Witness Obsequies.

Funeral services for Captain Richard M. Latham, for 45 years captain of the Relief Hook and Ladder Co. and one of the oldest volunteer firemen in Virginia, were held this morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's Catholic Church.

The pallbearers were Frank M. Hill, and M. M. Klein, representing Alexandria Lodge of Elks; Captain W. H. Sweeney and M. A. Ahern, representing St. Vincent de Paul's Society; John Clapdore and W. C. E. Wildt, representing the Relief Hook and Ladder Company; Claude Lennon and T. McGowan, representing Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, and Levi J. Hurdle and P. F. Gorman, representing R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans.

The body was escorted to the church by a detail of the firemen of Alexandria in uniform. The services were conducted by the Rev. L. F. Kelly. Interment was in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery.

GO NO FARTHER.

The Evidence is at Your Door.

Alexandria proof is what you want and the statement of this highly respected resident will banish all doubt.

Mrs. R. H. Dawson, 409 N. West St., Alexandria, says: "My back was so stiff and lame that I couldn't do anything without great suffering. When I got down, it was almost impossible for me to straighten up. Sharp twinges often caught me in the small of my back and hips and I couldn't move until they eased up. In the morning, my back ached so badly that I could hardly get out of bed. My kidneys were irregular in action and the kidney secretions caused me much misery. I felt all out of sorts and had no abmition to do anything. A neighbor advised me to take Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box at C. W. Summers' Drug Store. I never took another medicine that acted so quickly. One box put my kidneys in good working order and made my back strong."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Dawson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Shoppers will find some extra bargains at Marshall's this week. All their summer shoes reduced. C. B. Marshall, 422 King Street.

EXPECTS TO BUILD ROAD

Federal Government Contemplates Highway From Gum Springs to Mount Vernon

Members of the Alexandria Automobile Club are interested in learning that the Good Roads Department of the Federal Government expects to build the much talked of road from Gum Spring to Mount Vernon. The Hon. Logan Waller Page, Chief of the Good Roads Department, states that the building of such a road is conditioned upon the Government securing the necessary rights of way as an entirely new route from that now in existence will be selected. It is earnestly hoped that no difficulty will be experienced by the Government in securing the necessary rights of way. A special committee was appointed by the auto club recently for purpose of devising ways and means of having this road constructed, and W. A. Moore, Jr., as secretary of this committee, had already taken the matter up with a number of prominent people. The Good Roads Department expects to place a tar surface or binder on the recently constructed gravel roads in Mt. Vernon District. This will be of great benefit to these roads and greatly preserve them.

Another announcement that will be very gratifying to club members is that the approaches to the highway bridges across the Potomac will soon be rebuilt. The approach on the Virginia side will be constructed with granite blocks. It will be recalled that a special committee of the club took this matter up with the Engineer Commissioner of the District of Columbia some weeks ago.

Ten new members have joined the club within the past week. This brings the total number up to 64, and there is every prospect that this number will reach at least one hundred within a short time.

Among the members of the club who are contemplating trips and have availed themselves of the free touring information furnished by the club are: Messrs. O. H. Kirk, Jerome Kaufmann, Wallace Lindsey, G. B. Willis, J. D. Normoyle, John G. Graham, T. B. Cochran and W. A. Moore, Jr.

The club is now having prepared a number of signs for the purpose of posting various nearby roads.

It is understood that a meeting will be held next Tuesday night at Potter's Hill, in Mount Vernon District, Fairfax county, by citizens of that community for the purpose of considering the erection of toll gates on the newly constructed roads in this district. It is hoped that as many members as possible will be present at this meeting.

MUST PULL UP GRASS.

Occupiers of Houses, Under the Law, Required to Keep Gutters And Alleys Tidy.

The police are notifying residents that grass growing in gutters, around curbstones and in alleys of their premises must be removed. The street department is now engaged in removing such growths in different sections of the city, and the authorities expect citizens generally to vie with them by keeping their premises tidy.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexaxandria—Happenings In Society.

Miss Rena E. Lacy, formerly of Bailey's Cross Roads, Fairfax county, and John J. Cole, of Washington, were married Thursday evening at the rectory of Grace Episcopal Church by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. They will make their home in Georgetown.

Mr. J Andy Chisholm, a prominent capitalists of Charlottesville, president of the Charlottesville Horse Show and former state president of the Elks, is spending a few days in Alexandria renewing acquaintanceship with old friends.

Miss Kathleen Watson has returned to her home in this city after a visit with her brother, Edwin Watson, of Portsmouth, Va. Miss Watson will depart Monday for Harrisonburg, Va., to attend the state normal school.

Mr. A. J .Pyke, of Wide Water, arrived in Alexandria today and is the guest of Judge J. K. M. Norton, at his farm in Fairfax County.

Mr. Sterling Kerr, Jr., assistant secretary-general of the Southern Jurisdiction of Scottish Rite Masons, spent today in Alexandria.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The first of a series of crab feasts were given last night by Alexandria Lodge of Elks. A number of Elks from Washington were present.

Cassius Williams, Robert Dunbarr and William Bridget, three colored boys, convicted of larceny, were taken to the reform school at Laurel, Md., yesterday.

Hard Shell Crabs, Deviled Crabs and Crab Salad, in our own delicious style. Jacob Brill, foot of King St.

DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT

Henry Erris, 72 years old, a farmer of Laurel, Md., died yesterday at the Alexandria Hospital. Mr. Erris was born in Alexandria, and several days ago, when he was taken ill, expressed a desire to die in the place of his birth. He was brought to the Alexandria Hospital on Thursday.

Orders have been issued at the Treasury Department designed to prevent in future soliciting or receiving of contributions by persons in the Treasury service from any person or corporation subject to internal revenue taxation.

WEATHER VANE ON CITY HALL.

Steeple Jack Finds it Broken—Many Persons Watch Him Working On High

The finance committee and the committee on public property employed a steeple jack from New York today to straighten the vane on the City Hall Steeple which was bent by the storm of July 30, 1913. The vane was found to be broken and it will be removed and taken to New York where it will be repaired.

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COLUMBIA AWAKE AT LAST.

Repetition by German naval commanders of acts in contravention of American rights will be regarded by the United States as "deliberately unfriendly."

This is the substance of the concluding and all-important paragraph of President Wilson's latest note to Germany.

The communication is received as the strongest and most emphatic pronouncement that has come from the Washington Government since the beginning of its correspondence with the belligerents of Europe.

More nearly an ultimatum than any communication heretofore sent to Germany in reference to the sinking of the Lusitania, the note serves plain warning on Germany that the Government of the United States will continue to contend for the principle of the freedom of the seas, "from whatever quarter violated without compromise and at any cost."

The note states clearly to Germany that her last reply to the demands of the United States was "very unsatisfactory," and failed to meet the real differences between the two governments; that it put Germany in the position of contending, even while admitting the validity of the principles insisted upon by the United States, that Great Britain's violations of those rights exempted Germany from an observance of them; that the United States cannot discuss the policy of Great Britain with Germany, for the reason that England's conduct is "irrelevant to any discussion with the Imperial German Government of what this government regards as grave and unjustifiable violations of the rights of American citizens by German naval commander; that "the rights of neutrals in time of war are based upon principle, not upon expediency and the principles are immutable. It is the duty and obligation of belligerents to find a way to adapt the new circumstances to them."

It is apparent to people of every shade of opinion throughout the United States that President Wilson has and is handling this country's relations with Germany in a masterly manner. Heretofore he has used the most courteous language in his representations to the Imperial Government of Germany, which, however, seem to have been as snowflakes against her sword scabbards. The situation has at times been exasperating, and it looked as though there was a disposition upon the part of the Kaiser to treat America as he did Belgium when that small but brave nation protested against a violation of their rights. The American eagle is loth to show its claws, but it should be apparent to every patriotic citizen that the time has come when our country should take a stand.

The United States, as a nation, is slow to anger. It has shown a calm spirit throughout its entire history. Every effort was made in 1776 to obtain her rights without resorting to the sword, but an erratic English king and a feeble ministry forced the colonists to fight for what they saw they could not obtain otherwise. Every effort was made in 1812 to avoid the second war for independence, and years later, when Mexico, as unreasonable and as fractious as she is now, and when the United States was still extending the olive branch, forced war upon us. After the irritations of years it was necessary in 1898 to declare war on Spain in order to show that the Castilian was not supreme in the western world. Diplomacy has been virtually exhausted in dealing with Germany, and President Wilson has, very properly, let it be known that the United States has rights it is ready to contend for.

ONE YEAR OF WAR.

One year ago yesterday, following the assassination of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the throne of Austria-Hungary, and his wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, on June 28th by a Servian student, Austria sent a forty-eight hour ultimatum to Servia, demanding that Servia use every means in its power to punish the assassins and to stop all further anti-Austrian propaganda.

This, in all intents and purposes, was the start of the great war that has engulfed Europe, for Austria, also insisting that she be represented in the Servian investigation had in her ultimatum made demands that Servia could not and would not meet.

To have complied with all the Austrian demands would have virtually made Servia subservient to the Hapsburgs and her nationality would have virtually ceased. The double assassination was committed in Bosnia, Austrian territory, and by an Austrian subject; yet Francis Joseph contended that the plot was formed in Servia and that country must arrest all suspects and bring them to trial and Austrian officials be allowed to enter the country and participate in the trial and punishment of such as might be convicted. Apart from this humiliation it was demanded of the smaller country that she should make official announcement in the newspapers of her capital her intention to live in peace with Austria and resort to every means to nip in the bud all plots against the dual kingdom.

A number of other demands, some of the most humiliating nature, were also made. Servia was willing to make suitable replies to all save those quoted above.

Servia, in most respectful terms, asked that the keen edge of the ultimatum be taken off by not requiring her to submit to these demands. Urged on by Germany, Austria refused to diminish her demands and subsequently declared war on the little kingdom. The blaze thus started has spread over a large portion of Europe. Several millions of people have been killed, and distress from famine, fire and the elements have shocked the world. And the cloud hangs as low as ever.

AVERSE TO "PLUNKERS"

By a resolution adopted by the City voters at the primary on August 3 must cast their ballots for the full complement of vacancies to be filled under each head. Otherwise the judges of election will be directed not to count ballots which do not comply with the ruling.

In other words, as there are five places to be filled in the House of Delegates, the voter must indicate his preference for five of the nine candidates; for the State Senate, two of the four candidates, and for the Administrative Board, two of the three candidates. This eliminates the so-called "single-shot" idea, which is considered unfair, inasmuch as it permits a clique of voters to single out one or more candidates for their ballot and give them an advantage over their opponents.

Casting of "plunkers" has been the practice of certain suffragans in Alexandria for many years. At general elections some men openly state that they have no interest in the ticket at large and intend to scratch every name upon the slip except one or possibly two candidates. Such voters have not at all times antipathy for those who offer themselves as candidates, but they act in a spirit of contrariness. The practice, however, is often the outcome of sinister motives and with the intention of giving one candidate an advantage over another.

The Richmond committee's action will probably be affirmed by many voters throughout the state.

NEWS OF THE DAY

The British steamship Theresa, while passing through the Suez Canal, ran upon a Turkish mine and sank.

Great Britain has apologized to Norway for the action of a British armed trawler in invading Norweigan waters.

A St. Louis shoe company confirms a report that it refused to accept an order from a European country for 1,000,000 pairs of shoes.

Leo M. Frank, who was stabbed last Saturday night by Convict Creen in the Georgia penitentiary, is reported as out of danger.

Fay Burdick, of Shiaglehouse, Pa., 27 years old, who was hit in the nose by a pitched ball during a game a few days ago, died yesterday.

Latest reports from the flood district in Southeastern China indicate that more than 175,000 persons have perished. Heavy rains are falling again.

Cardinal Gibbons yesterday received messages of congratulation from Pope Benedict and other dignitaries of the Catholic Church in all parts of the world, it being his eighty-first birthday anniversary.

Emperor William has, it is said, ordered Field Marshal von Mackensen to capture Warsaw by August 1, in order to enable Germany to celebrate the first anniversary of the war with a great victory.

The Japanese navy department proposes to construct 4 dreadnoughts, 4 scout cruisers, ten destroyers and eight submarines, defraying the cost of approximately $100,000,000 by spreading it over the next six years. This will complete the fleet with eight dreadnoughts and four battle-cruisers.

Mrs. Rosa Victoria Ellsworth, better known as Mrs. Sands, 44 years old, was accidentally shot and killed by her 15 year old nephew, Bertram Victor Edward Fister, yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, at her home, near Potomac, Md. The youth was handling a double-barreled shot gun, which he supposed was unloaded.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Arthur T. Powell, cashier of the Lynchburg Traction and Light Company and for some months secretary-treasurer of the Peakland Land Corporation, died in Lynchburg yesterday of pellagara. Mr. Powell was 59 years old and his widow and three children survive.

Frederick Gresham Pollard, thirty-years of age, son of City Attorney H. R. Pollard and Mrs. Jessie Gresham Pollard, of Richmond, died yesterday morning at Saranac Lake, N. Y. Mr. Pollard had been in ill health for sometime and went to Saranac Lake with the object of recuperating. Mr. Pollard was a member of the Richmond bar and was junior member of the firm of Pollard, Smith & Pollard.

Mrs. Laura Virginia Kirby, wife of Slaughter A. Kirby, a machinist employed in the Fulton brickyards, was struck by a Chesapeake and Ohio passenger train yesterday morning and instantly killed. Her body was terribly mangled beneath the wheels of the engine before the engineer could bring the train to a stop. The accident concurred opposite the siding of the Fulton Brick Company near Richmond. Mrs. Kirby was taking her husband's dinner to him.

Under the new law of the state a wife deserter may be brought back from other States provided the wife or other private parties are willing to stand for the expense, and in extraordinary cases the State may put up the money itself. The new statute gives the justice the option of either putting the wife deserter and non-supporter on probation for the first offense or sending him to the roads. Under the old law probation was compulsory in case of the first offense.

The total exports from the ports of Norfolk and Newport News for the first three weeks of the new fiscal year, also the first three weeks of this month, amounted to approximtaely $6,075,000.00. The value of the exports for the entire month of July of 1914 was $1,152,371.00. Thus the value of exports for the three weeks of July this year is nearly six times the value of those for the entire corresponding month last year. The leading item in the list of foreign shipments is, of course, coal.

An unidentified man, who looked to be about 65 years old, was struck and killed yesterday by a Norfolk and Western train at a cut near Blumes, about two miles from Manassas The man was watching an incoming freight and, not noticing the passenger, stepped from the southbound to the northbound track, in front of the train. The body was mangled almost beyond recognition. In the man's pocket was found cards bearing the names of George S. Buckley and Mrs. Helen Zulicke, Newark, N. J.

One of the battery of four boilers in the plant of the Virginia Railway and Power Company at Suffolk exploded yesterday morning. A tube blew out, striking Cornelius Williams, a colored fireman, an dturning the steam on him, scalding him so serious that very little hope is entertained for his recovery. When the tube blew out two white employees, with William Green, colored, were working in the same room, but Williams was the only one hurt, as he was standing directly in front of the outlet of the steam.

The State Bar Association will meet at the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., on the evening of August 4th. The date was changed several days ago, when it was found that the lawyers would all be deprived of their votes in the Democratic primary if they were compelled to leave their homes the day before in order to be at the opening session. As the change has been made the lawyers will get a chance to vote and leave for the meeting on the date fixed, August 4th, the session to last three days.

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AT THE CHURCHES.

At the Methodist Protestant Church tomorrow the Rev. Edward T. Kirkley, pastor, will preach a sermon on "The Pre-Existence of Christ," which subject is also to be treated by the Hustler's Bible Class at the morning Sunday School service. Dr. Kirkley will preach on an evangelistic subject at the evening church service, and the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting will be conducted at 7:15 p. m. by Paul Lindsey, leader.

At the morning service of the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow Rev. John Lee Allison, pastor, will preach on "Heavenly Treasure in Earthern Vessels." His evening theme will be evangelistic.

"The First Seven Years," will be the subject for the morning sermon at the First Baptist Church by Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor, tomorrow, and "The Fearnot of Jesus" is the evening topic.

Rev. Lyttleton M. Ferguson, pastor of Trinity Church, will preach tomorrow at 11 a. m. on "God, Our Defense," and at 8 p. m. on "The Other Fellow's Business."

St. Mary's Church.

First mass at 6 a. m., children's mass 9, Sunday School 9:30, late mass and sermon 10:00 baptisms, 3:30, evening services and benediction 4 o'clock p. m. Mass every Sunday morning St. Rita's Chapel, 9 o'clock at Mount Ida. Mass week mornings 6:30 and 7 o'clock.

Christ Church.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. in the church and at 6:45 in the church yard.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday School, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon 8:00 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Second Baptist Church.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Prayer services Wednesday evenings at 7:45 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Epworth League services at 7:15 p. m. Services and sermon 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. Edward Kirkley, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School and Hustler's Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. L. M. Ferguson, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. E. Brandt, pastor. Services 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Free Methodist Church—Rev. Geo Eakins, pastor. Sunday School at 1 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer service at 8 p. m. on Thursday.

Salvation Army.

Services in First Presbyterian Church, south Fairfax street, every Tuesday, Thursday' Friday and Sunday at 8 o'clock Sunday School every Sunday at 2:30

Jail Meeting.

Every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

The Christian Chautauqua session at Virginia Beach last night unanimously adopted a stirring resolution indorsing President Wilson and expressing confidence in him these critical hours. The resolution was voted for by men and women from Rhode Island and New York, from Ohio and Indiana, as well as by those from all the Southern States and the States in between.

James Norcott and Henry Williams, two negroes, were arrested in Emporia Thursday on suspicion of being implicated in the robbery last Saturday night of Charles M. Brown, of Staunton, who was fleeced of $243, and of Kate Greer, coolred, who lost $121.20 by a similar game. Last Saturday night Brown was approached by two negroes, who represented to him that they had found a $500 bill. They asked him to get it changed for them and, as evidence of his good faith, he turned over his pocketbook to them. He later discovered that the bill was a Confederate note.

TESTIFIES AGAINST FATHER

Testimony of Ten-Year-Old Boy May Convict Parent of Murder

Kinston, N. C., July 24.—To be ten years old and have to give the information against one's father that will send him to his death is the hardest thing that one so young can have thrust upon him. Little Nathan Hill holds that belief. The other day Nathan's father, Cooper Hill, came over to the place where the boy was sitting with his young mother under a tree on their farm about ten miles from here, and struck her "awfully hard" with a heavy club. The mother fell over, bleeding fearfully from a great hole in her head. Nathan Hill ran, crying for help. He was gone when the father finished his ghastly work. When he came back with a big strong man, Cooper Hill was trying to make his mother's body sit upright on a bed. The slayer had repented that quick that he cried.

On the witness stand here little nathan Hill told his story to the magistrate who sent his father back to jail without bail. Notwithstanding his distress the lad told a perfectly coherent story of the murder and was careful to be exact in what he said. He was the only eye witness. He is unusually intelligent for one of his years, and his testimony was given without bias; he favored neither the father who is facing the gravest charge under the statute nor the dead mother whom he loved.

No one in the court room ever witnessed a more tragic scene than that. The little country boy sobbed and sobbed. The parent who had made an orphan of him sat a few feet away from him, his face occasionally betraying signs of intense emotion. The little fellow told his story of how the father struck the mother from behind and how she fell over and bled. Only one thing he would not tell, and no amount of persuasion nor threatening would make him tell. His mamman had said something to his father a short time before, he admitted, and that is still determined 10-year-old Nathan Hill's secret. He may defy a judge as he did the magistrate. While the child sobbed between his statements there were a lot of big men back of him silently crying.

BECKER'S FIGHT FOR LIFE

District Attorney Cited to Show Cause Why New Trial Should Not be Granted

New York, July 24—Supreme Court Justice Eugene A. Philbin granted an order yesterday calling upon District Attorney Perkins to show cause why Charles Becker should not be granted a new trial. The order was issued upon the request of Becker's chief of counsel, W. Bourke Cockran, and is returnable on Monday morning before Justice Ford.

Becker, scheduled to die in the electric chair on Wednesday morning, is thus possessed of two possibilities of a reprieve. If Justice Ford decides that the alleged new evidence warrants his granting a new trial Gov. Whitman will have no other course than to grant a stay pending the trial. And if Justice Ford decides that t he material offered by Mr. Cockran is of such importance that he cannot decide offhand and needs two or more days to arrive at a conclusion, the governor would be asked to grant a stay pending the justice's ruling. He undoubtedly would do so.

OFFICIAL

An ordinance to prohibit the maintaining of any privy, either box or well, upon any property in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, when said property binds upon any street or alley in which a public sewer has been, or shall hereafter be constructed.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia.

Section 1. That no privy, either box or well, shall be maintained upon any property in the City of Alexandria, Va., if said property binds upon any street or alley in which a public sewer has been, or shall hereafter be, constructed; but said box shall be removed, and any well filled in or arched over.

Section 2. That any person, firm or corporation maintaining any such privy, either box or well, if a resident, and any agent, of any person, firm or corporation maintaining any such privy, either box or well, if said person, firm or corporation be a non-resident, and failing to comply with the provision of this ordinance, shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars for each offense; each days violation thereof shall constitute a separate offense; the said fine to be collected as other fines are collected, and paid into the City Treasury.

Section 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall be in force on and after six months from date of its passage.

Passed the Common Council July 13, 1915.

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HENRY K. FIELD, President

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By virtue of a deed of trust, bearing date on the 25th day of August 1892, and duly of record in the land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 28, page 289, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the note secured by the said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on Tuesday, the 17th day of August, 1915, at twelve o'clock M. in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, all that lot of ground, with improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to-wit;

Beginning on the west side of Patrick Street, two hundred and six feet four and one-fourth inches (206 ft. 4 1-4 in.) south of Duke street, and running thence south on Patrick street fifteen feet two and one-fourth inches (15 ft. 2 1-4 in.) to the line of the lot of ground conveyed by the said Robert Elliott to George T. Klipstein, M. D.; thence west one hundred (100) feet to a court; thence north on said court fifteen feet two and one-fourth inches (15 ft. 2 1-4 in.) and thence east one hundred (100) ft. to the beginning; with all appurtenances.

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THURSDAY
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FRIDAY
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Pearle White. Lionel Barrymore, Creighton Hale and the Mysterious Mr. X.
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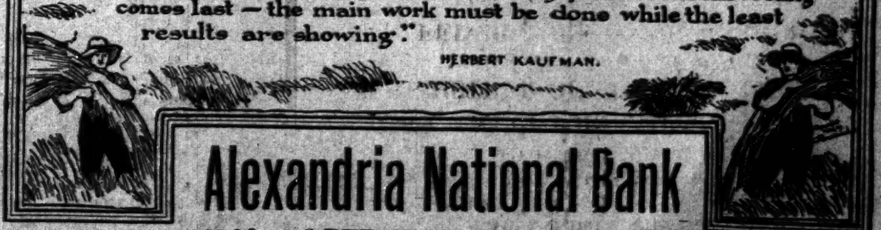

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